

## TOO MUCH HONKING GOING ON.

THE REV. DR. PERKINS HALES A CHAUFFEUR TO COURT.

He and His Neighbors on Fifty-third Street Disturbed at Night by Continued Tooting of Horns—Notes Made to Signal Garage Keeper to Open the Doors.

Robert Hayes, who is employed as a chauffeur by Mrs. W. P. Douglas of 4 East Forty-sixth street, was in the Yorkville police court yesterday in response to a summons obtained by the Rev. Dr. J. Newton Perkins of 65 East Fifty-second street. The clergyman complained that Hayes was one of several chauffeurs who annoyed him and his neighbors nights by tooting their automobile horns.

Major John McGraw Woodbury, former Street Cleaning Commissioner, who is a relative of Mrs. Douglas, went to court to learn what the matter was all about. Magistrate Finelite invited him to sit up beside him and the Major accepted the invitation.

Mr. Perkins said that for the last two weeks he had been annoyed by the loud and frequent honk! honk! of automobiles passing his residence at night. Some times, he added, the honking would begin at Madison avenue and continue while the machine was going nearly a block. In addition to the tooting noise another annoyance was the rumbling of the machines over the sidewalk.

One night he put his head out of the window and saw an automobile passing his home on the sidewalk. It had the number 35047.

It developed that the clergyman sent a letter to Capt. Lantry of the East Fifty-first street station, who assigned Detective Summers to investigate the matter. At the same time the captain received a letter from Mrs. Crocker of 71 East Fifty-second street and another one from Mrs. Lawrence of 67 East Fifty-second street, also complaining of noisy automobiles passing their homes at night. Summers learned that there is a garage on Fifty-second street near Park avenue and it was while the machines were going there to put up for the night that the residents of that block were disturbed. Mrs. Douglas was found to be the owner of the machine whose number was 35047 and it was decided to get one of the chauffeurs in court as a warning to the others.

Hayes said that he was not aware of disturbing the people on that block. The reason he sounded the horn on that block was as a signal to the watchman at the garage to open the door for him. Other chauffeurs, he thought, tooted their horns for the same reason.

"But you shouldn't run your machine along the sidewalk," remarked the Magistrate.

"We couldn't help it. The street is so cluttered up with snow that we are not able to get an automobile through it. We must go on the sidewalk there or get stuck in the snow. Besides, there are no persons on the sidewalks of that block late at night," the chauffeur explained.

Major Woodbury told the Magistrate that he could give assurances that Hayes would stop his honking. The Magistrate told Hayes to inform the other chauffeurs that they must cease disturbing the residents of the neighborhood and dismissed the case.

## CUTTING OUT POLITICS.

Non-Partisan Tickets Named in Villages of the Southern Tier.

OLEAN, March 9.—There is a general tendency throughout the towns of southwestern New York, as well as along the southern tier, to cut politics out of the village elections. Several towns that hold elections this month have nominated one ticket, Republicans and Democrats joining in trying to find the best men. In many other places, where there has been an insistence on the part of one party to nominate in the face of a feeling that there should be but one ticket, a citizens' ticket, the party willing has entered into the campaign of the independents and assisted in finding independent business men for the citizens' ticket, those who would enforce the laws.

A noticeable example of this has been seen in Cuba, where open and flagrant violations are being made of the excise law. President Paul was thwarted at every turn, until finally he resorted to getting evidence through personally hired detectives and presented their findings to the Grand Jury. This broke up the law-breaking and some of the old line Republicans attempted to defeat his nomination, but failed.

At Wellsville the two parties held their caucuses, but the feeling was so strong in favor of a joint ticket that the one nominated by the citizens' committee was endorsed, the Republicans and Democrats naming ward committees only.

At Salamanca, the home of Congressman Vreeland, a single ticket has also been placed in the field. The Republicans, who have always had full sway, gave to the Democrats two trustees and named the president and one trustee themselves, each party nominating candidates for the remainder of the ticket, which will be contested.

In North Olean a part of the Democrats favored a single ticket, but it could not be made unanimous, so a number of the old Democrats, headed by John Degnan, made up what they call a Republican ticket to whip the Hearst Democrats into line, and it will undoubtedly be elected. This will be done by an alliance with the Republicans, who have never been able yet to elect a candidate. Both parties have the name of W. B. Shaw for treasurer. The North Olean Democrats have always won heretofore.

At Friendship the Republicans named a ticket which was so near perfect and smacked so strongly of independence that the Democrats endorsed it as a whole, resolutions being passed that insure that sort of a ticket in the future.

At Canisteo the Republicans, Democrats and Prohibitionists joined in naming one ticket. The Republicans named a mayor and a collector and the Democrats two trustees, the Prohibitionists naming a treasurer.

Allegany also has one ticket named in joint caucus, and at Jamestown the independents endorsed the Republican ticket on which were many old line Democrats who dropped to beat out the Hearst Leaguers.

## GOODMAN PHILLIPS SURRENDERS.

He's Accused of Being a Principal in the Chinese Smuggling Cases.

BOSTON, March 9.—Goodman Phillips, accused of being a principal in the Chinese smuggling operations at Boston, and an associate of James B. Lehnman, surrendered himself to-day to the Federal authorities. This revives the Frolic case, which caused a commotion along the entire New England coast last fall, terminating temporarily in a trial in Providence where the smuggled Chinamen were landed and held.

Accompanying the surrender of Phillips comes the announcement that James B. Lehnman will be here next week and will surrender himself. For the last few months these two men, whose interests in the Frolic and Bonita cases are believed to be practically identical, have been together at Montreal. Phillips had a brief hearing to-day before Judge Lowell of the United States Circuit Court and was held in \$2,000 bail.

## Engineer Drops Dead in His Cab.

SYRACUSE, March 9.—Harry Watkins of this city, engineer on the Lake Shore Limited, was found, dropped dead in his cab at Palmyra this morning. John W. Cool, who was in the cab, brought the body to this city.

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## SILKS

FOR Wedding Gowns, Bridesmaids' and Reception Dresses. The assortment shown is even more extensive and complete than in former seasons.

We also show an exclusive stock of Foulard and other Fancy Silks not to be found elsewhere. The retail prices are based on the old contracts and remain the same as last year.

In the colors we show many exclusive shades of all the desirable plain weaves.

## Evening Satin

One Yard Wide.

We show the most beautiful evening tints in three different qualities, as follows:

Satin Majestique At \$2.00 a yd.

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A Special lot of 150 pieces in desirable patterns and colorings, particularly adapted for Evening Gowns, will be placed on sale.

Commencing Monday, March 11th,

At \$1.95 a yd.

Former prices \$3.00 and \$3.50 a yd.

## Black Dress Goods

Wool Materials of Chiffon Weight for spring and summer garments, also all silk and silk and wool fabrics, comprising plaids, checks and striped Voiles, embroidered Voiles, also Black and White effects, suitable for second mourning, mourning veils and crepes.

## SPECIAL

1,600 yards of French Black Dress Voile,

47 inches wide,

At \$1.25 yd.

## Wash Goods Dept.

Special offering of

St. Gall Swiss

(32 and 44 inch).

Large variety of the newest designs and colorings on White and Colored Grounds, also Black on White, White on Black and all Black, Polka Dots, Figures, Stripes and Plaid Effects, at popular prices.

## Esfleuré Chiffon Voile

One of the most desirable Sheer fabrics on the market for Dresses and Waists in Plain Colors, Tape Stripes, Floral Designs and Ombre Tints, on White and Colored Grounds,

50c. yd.

## Spider Silk Novelties

Large assortment of exclusive Novelties in Polka Dots, Figured, Plain and Fancy Stripes, Checked and Plaid effects, in all the leading shades.

50c. yd.

## Shoe Dept.

A Special Clearing Sale of Women's Comfortable House Slippers in Pink, Blue, Red, Grey, Tan, White and Black.

75c. \$1.25 \$1.50 a pr.

Broadway and 20th St., 5th Av., 19th St.

## YOUNG WOMAN KILLS HERSELF.

Jumps From a Train, Leaving a Little Girl Behind—Had Ticket for Europe.

AMSTERDAM, N. Y., March 9.—Shortly after midnight this morning a woman passenger on one of the through trains on the New York Central Railroad jumped from the window of a car when the train was three miles west of Fonda. She was probably instantly killed. Her body rolled down the embankment of the road to the foot of the Mohawk River, where it was found later by section employees of the road.

The woman entered a small compartment in the car soon after the train left Herkimer and, as she did not come out, a trainman broke open the door and discovered that she had disappeared. With her on the train was a little girl about 2 years old.

The woman's body was taken to an undertaker at Fonda. In one of the woman's stockings was found a steamship ticket of the North German Lloyd company for passage to Germany. On the ticket were the names Maria Becker and Mary Anna Becker, the latter the name of the child.

The ticket was purchased in San Francisco on February 27, and the price was \$82. The woman and child were from Chehalis, Wash. The ticket was for passage on March 12. The woman was fairly well dressed, of the blond type and was about 25 years of age.

Acting Coroner Eddie to-night communicated with Matthew Becker of Chehalis, Wash., husband of the suicide. The woman, it is said, showed signs of insanity after leaving Chicago on her journey to Europe. She feared that her child would be taken from her. She had considerable money on her person.

## WOMAN FALLS FROM PIER.

Old Mrs. McQuade Bewildered by the Movement of Snow Cars.

Mrs. Alice McQuade, 80 years old, of 185 Metropolitan avenue, Williamsburg, in which neighborhood she had lived for more than sixty years, was drowned yesterday in the East River at the recreation pier at the foot of North Second street. She was in the habit of going to the pier for an airing. When she went there yesterday she became bewildered by a large number of trucks laden with snow, whose drivers were leading their horses recklessly about.

In trying to dodge a team she slipped and fell into the East River from the stringpiece.

Several men tried to reach her with boat hooks, but the tide carried her away and before some men who put out in a rowboat could get to her she had been carried along with the tide for nearly four blocks. She was found in the boat, but on being brought ashore she was found to be dead.

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## LINENS

at prices greatly below regular value.

## TABLE CLOTHS

2x2 yds., \$2.00, \$3.00 & \$3.50.

Instead of \$2.50, \$4.00 & \$5.00.

2x2½ yds., \$2.50, \$3.75 & \$4.88.

Instead of \$3.15, \$5.00 & \$6.25.

2x3 yds., \$3.00, \$4.50 & \$5.85.

Instead of \$3.75, \$6.00 & \$7.50.

2½x 2½ yds., \$3.35, \$4.00 & \$5.00.

Instead of \$4.25, \$6.00 & \$6.80.

2½x2½ yds., \$3.85, \$6.00 & \$7.15.

Instead of \$4.75, \$7.50 & \$10.50.

Napkins to Match, \$3.00, \$4.50 & \$5.50.

Instead of \$4.00, \$6.50 & \$7.25 doz.

## TOWELS

## Hemstitched Huckaback

\$3.00 doz. regular \$4.00 grade.

\$4.50 " " \$6.00 "

\$6.00 " " \$9.00 "

\$8.75 " " \$12.00 "

## Hand Embroidered

## Irish Linen Bureau Scarfs

\$1.35, \$1.50 & \$1.75;

Value \$2.25, \$2.50 and \$2.75.

## A Special Sale

For the purpose of closing out several lines of Blankets, Bed Spreads and Comfortables, which are to be dropped from regular stock, principally odd lots, will begin on Monday, March 11th, affording an opportunity to secure very desirable merchandise at greatly below regular prices.

Broadway and 20th St., 5th Av., 19th St.

## Lord &amp; Taylor

## Lingerie Waist Dept.

## Our Spring Sale

of

## Wash Shirt Waists

takes place

Monday, March 11th, 1907.

## Exceptional Values Offered in

## Fine Lawn or Batiste Waists

trimmed with lace or embroidery,

at

\$1.95, \$2.50, \$2.95, \$3.95,

\$4.95, \$5.45 & \$6.95

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## Lord &amp; Taylor

Monday, March 11th,

## Continuation of Special Sale

of

## Muslin Underwear,

## Silk Petticoats &amp; Kimonos.

Broadway and 20th St.; 5th Ave.; 19th St.

## Lord &amp; Taylor

Announce for This Week

An Important Offering of

## Women's Separate Skirts

## and Fancy Waists

at One-third Less

than present value.

This sale consists of

1,000 New Spring Skirts

made to our special orders, and

500 New Waists

all to be offered at one-third less than present values during this week.

Descriptions as follows:—

## SKIRTS

of Panamas and Mixtures, at \$5.50 and \$7.50 Regular Value \$7.50 and \$10.50.

## SKIRTS

of Voiles, Taffetas and Chiffon Panamas, at \$10.50 Value \$15.00.

## SKIRTS

Silk lined Voiles, Black, White and Navy, Chiffon Taffetas and Novelty Materials, Value \$22.50, at \$15.00

## Women's Waists

Dotted Net and Cluny Combination Taffetas, with hand made yokes, White, Black, Navy and Brown. } At \$5.90  
Jap. Silks, } Value  
in Plain Tailored or Val. lace trimmed; } \$8.50  
White or Black.

## Crepes de Chine Waists

Silk lined, hand made yoke. } At  
Brussels Net. } \$7.90  
Plain or Embroidered Cluny Lace Appli- } Value  
cations. } \$10.50

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## Lord &amp; Taylor

## Spring Opening

## Domestic Rug Dept.

Monday, March 11th, 1907.

As a special inducement on this occasion, we offer the following lot of Domestic Rugs in standard weaves:—

## Wilton Rugs.

Size 9x12, regularly sold for \$50.00, at \$35.00

" 9x12, " " " \$39.50, " \$28.50

" 36x63-inch " " " \$7.00, " \$4.75

" 27x34 " " " \$5.75, " \$3.75

## Seamless Velvet Rugs.

Size 9x12, regularly sold for \$22.50, at \$17.50

" 27x34-inch " " " \$3.00, " \$1.75

## Tapestry Rugs.

Size 9x12, regularly sold for \$18.50, at \$12.75

## Heavy Pile Bath Rugs

In sizes 24x48, 27x54 and 30x60 inches,

at \$2.50, \$3.00 & \$3.50 respectively,

regularly sold at \$4.50, \$6.00 & \$7.00.

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